

HON. JAMES BRYCE VISITS CHICAGO

Spends a Busy Day at the Various Large Commercial Establishments.

COMMERCIAL CLUB BANQUET

British Ambassador Speaks on "The Modern City in Relation to the State."

CHICAGO, ILL., April 6.—James Bryce, British ambassador to the United States, after spending a busy day in Chicago attending luncheons and visiting a score of large commercial and industrial establishments, tonight was the guest of honor at a banquet given by the Commercial Club at the Auditorium Hotel.

There were 175 prominent business and professional men about the board. Red, white and blue, in the form of St. Andrew's Cross, faced from one end of the hall, the red, white and blue of the Stars and Stripes at the other. The ambassador was the only speaker during the evening. His topic was "The Modern City in Relation to the State."

Mr. Bryce's Speech.

"What are the functions of a proper city government and what kind of work ought it to undertake for the benefit of the community?"

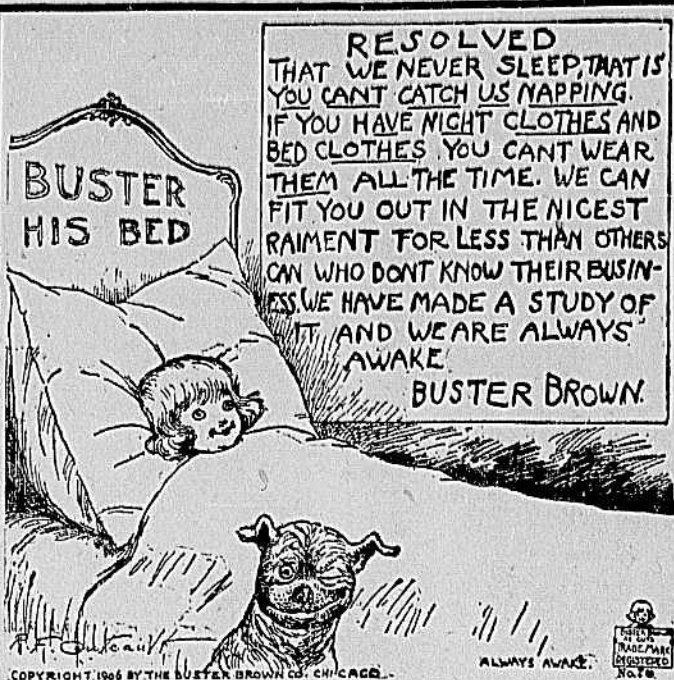
"Much depends on whether the particular work to be done is in the nature of a monopoly. For instance, the supply of water is almost of necessity a monopoly. You cannot have a number of water companies undertaking to supply each citizen by their own pipes. Still less can you have rival street railway companies laying down their rails in the same streets, because there would not be room. This must be a matter either taken over by the city or handed over to one corporation, which would become a monopoly at least for one particular part of the city. And the same thing is true of lighting. Now, where there is a monopoly it is strongly urged in England that the profits which a monopoly may earn and the increased value which the growth of a city gives to such a monopoly as that of street transportation ought to belong to the public.

Honest and Capable.

"The annual results of some branches of municipal work are much disputed, and to present general conclusions on the subject would be at this moment premature. This much, however, may be said. It is a precondition to the giving to a municipal authority of any control over public work and public utilities, which are not necessarily involved in the varying existence of that municipal authority; that the authority itself should be honest and capable—that is to say, that the administrators should be upright men and intelligent men. Whether they are to be elected or appointed, the conduct of those who administer on its behalf and calls them to strict account for any misdoings, it will obviously be safe to intrust to the municipality functions which otherwise might be desirable to withhold.

WHITE'S ART TREASURES SOLD FOR \$125,000

NEW YORK, April 6.—The sale of the furnishings and decorations of the home of the late Stanford White was completed today, the receipts of the day's sale being \$77,885, and the total of the entire sale reaching \$125,000. The most important article sold today was a sample of the grand Gobelin tapestry, which brought \$10,500.



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MOCK COURT TRIAL TO BE VERY FUNNY

Colonel Jo Lane Stern Judge, and Other Prominent People to Take Part.

Since the announcement was made that a big "Mock Court Trial" was to be held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Immanuel Baptist Church, in Y. M. C. A. Hall, on Thursday evening, April 11th, there has been great curiosity to know "who 'tis."

No wonder there is deep interest when so important a question is at stake, as to whether the affections of fair woman shall be trifled with, her tender heart rent asunder and her future blighted, with no redress whatsoever. The prominence of those who are to

take part will add greatly to the interest in the unique entertainment. Colonel Jo Lane Stern, one of the brightest and most original members of the Richmond bar, will be the judge. All the other official positions will be filled by regular officers. Mr. Lawton Crutchfield, deputy clerk of the Hustings Court, will be clerk; High Constable W. H. Wyatt, Jr., will be court officer, and Sergeant Talley, of the Police Court, will be court crier. The plaintiff in this highly interesting breach of promise suit will be Miss Pettit, and the luckless defendant is Hon. D. C. O'Flaherty; Colonel A. V. Newton, of Worcester, Mass., is the plaintiff's attorney, while Commonwealth's Attorney Minnie Folkes will represent the defendant. The witnesses and jurors will embrace people prominent in business, professional and social life. Altogether the trial promises to be one of the most clever entertainments of the season.

CHESTNUT HILL AND HIGHLAND PARK

Messrs. Pratt and Willis Stierling, of Georgetown University, have been spending the past week with relatives on Chestnut Hill.

Miss Elizabeth Bowman, of Third Avenue, entertained very delightfully last Friday evening from 8 to 12 o'clock in honor of her sixteenth birthday. The color scheme was pink and white, being carried out both in decorations and refreshments. Among those invited were Misses Hattie Goodwin, Ida Catlin, Louise Marshall, Grace Phillips, Jane Gaines, Fannie and Lillie Gray, Clara Gray, Ethel and Myrtle Bradshaw, Marie and Mattie Todd, Alvin Fritzsche, Viola Bartlett, Florence, and Ruth Bowman; Messrs. Bourque, Percy Collier, Herbert Larus, Hugh Goodwin, Leslie and Milton Williams, John McCurdy, Walter Harwood, Morton and Willie and Zeal Sear, Lynn Enslow, Charlie Gaines, Percy Holaday, Keeling Sisson, Ernest Bradshaw and Roy Bowman.

Mrs. Benjamin Howell, of New Jersey, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. N. B. Quinby, of Third Avenue.

Miss Carrie Bennie has returned to her home on Fourth Avenue after attending for the past week a delightful house party given by Miss Stacie Bennie at her home in Norfolk.

Mrs. D. K. Walshall, of Fourth Avenue, spent several days last week in Petersburg.

Messrs. Alexander Shafer and Mercer Christian left last Monday for Covington, Va., where they have both accepted responsible positions.

Miss Elizabeth Verrier, after spending the holidays with friends and relatives in Farmville, has returned to her home on Chestnut Hill.

The roll of honor for Highland Park Public School for week ending Friday, March 29th, is as follows:

Senior B—Bertha Marshall, Maude Tiller, Roy Cross and Emily Cross.

Intermediate B—Marie Todd, Alma Vaughan, Gertrude Howell, Irene Dunn, Fannie Gray, Percy Holladay, Charles Gaines and Keeline Risson.

Fifth Primary Grade—Newton, Nickola, Willie Masani, Cora Lynne Woods, Margaret Fowler, Eula Gary, Fannie Hale, Ruth Todd, Rachael Layne, Alvin Selas, Linden Harrison and Ruth Ward.

Fourth Primary Grade—Olive Devine, Norma Palmer, Elizabeth Waldron, Katie Bostelle, Grace Bostelle, Emma August, James Goodwin, Lee Williams, Stuart Kent, Wirt Atala and Robert Morton.

Mrs. Yeager and Mrs. Woodson, of Ashville, N. C., were the guests last week of Mrs. C. W. Vaughan, of Highland Park.

Mr. Julian Green has been confined to the house for the past week by sickness.

Rev. E. K. Gell has returned home after spending the Easter holidays in Washington. Miss Rosalie Parsons left Friday for her home in Cumberland county to spend several weeks.

Miss Beulah Winfield, who has been quite sick, is improving at her residence in Highland Park.

News of Suburbs

BARTON HEIGHTS

Mr. James Martin, of Roanoke, who has been visiting Mr. William Jones, of Luck Avenue, has returned home.

Miss Mary Cole, of Newport News, is visiting Mrs. W. G. Cosby, of Virginia Avenue.

Mr. S. P. Jones, of Luck Avenue, has left for Louisiana on business.

Miss Annie Cole, who has been visiting Mrs. W. G. Cosby, of Virginia Avenue, has left for her home in Ashtland.

Miss Florence Kersey, who has been visiting her mother in Hanover, has returned home.

Miss Nannie Morris, of Norfolk, who has been visiting friends on the Heights, has returned.

Miss Bessie Bahe, of Lamb Avenue, was given a surprise party by her many friends. Those present were the following: Misses Louise Lorraine, Ada Stalnor, Dorothy Robinson, Mary Williams, Mary Casselman, Mary Pierce, Louise Moore, Marjorie Moffat, Lila Beck, Dorothy Bruce, Annie Bueche and Misses Lawrence Casselman, Terrell Gordon, Bradstreet Pearsley, Wallace White, James McRae, and Blanche Bahe. Singing and games were indulged in, after which refreshments were served.

Rev. R. H. Pitt, of Lamb Avenue, has left for Lynchburg on business.

Miss Bertha Harding, of Barton Avenue, has left for Washington to visit friends and relatives.

Miss F. Smith, who has been in Alexandria for some time on business, has returned to his home on Roberts Street.

Mr. Harry Prince, of Farmville, Va., who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. R. B. Ingham, of North Avenue, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Coleman and children returned to their home on Virginia Avenue after a delightful visit to relatives in Providence, R. I.

Mr. R. E. Redd, who has been spending some time in Southern Pines, N. C., is the guest of Mrs. Edmund Redd, of North Avenue.

Miss Ruth Blanton, of Newport News, is spending some time with friends on Monticello Avenue.

Mr. G. B. Penney has returned to his home on Virginia Avenue from a business trip to Wilmington, N. C.

Mr. Walter Harrison, of Roanoke, is the guest of Mr. James Wilson, of North Avenue.

Miss Minnie Brown, who has been visiting Miss Jennie Moore, of Luck Avenue, has returned to her home in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. James M. Flanagan, of Cumberland county, is spending some time with his son, Mr. Madison Flanagan, of North Avenue.

Mrs. Charles Robinson, of Petersburg, is visiting Mrs. W. K. Bahe, of Lamb Avenue.

Mr. Percy Yarborough, who has been visiting his parents on Monticello Avenue, has left for his home in Teno, Va.

Mr. W. D. Long, of Newport News, who has been visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Long, of North Avenue, has returned.

Mr. J. P. Haupt has returned to his home on Virginia Avenue after a visit to his son, Mr. John W. Haupt, of Washington.

Miss Dorothy Robinson, of Petersburg, Va., is visiting at the home of Mrs. W. K. Bahe, of Lamb Avenue.

Mr. J. A. Redd, of North Avenue, will leave soon for Clifton Forge.

Mr. Charles W. O'Bannon, of Barton Avenue, has left on a business trip to North and South Carolina.

Mr. A. C. Sande has returned home from a visit to friends in New York.

Miss Ruth Blanton, of Newport News, who has been spending some time with Mrs. W. K. Bahe, of Lamb Avenue, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter, who have been visiting Mrs. William Jackson, of Miller Avenue, have returned to their home in Petersburg, Va.

Honor roll at the Barton Heights School for the week:

Senior A Grade—James Satterwhite, Edith Ragland, Kathleen Gordon.

Intermediate B Grade—Margery King and Margaret Gordon.

Junior B Grade—Mamie Harris and Ruth Hopkins.

Junior A Grade—Juanita Wood, Sophie Currie, and Eleanor Anderson.

Seventh A Grade—Louisa Seay, Nellie Snyder, Ethel Priddy, Jamie Gaines, Sixth B Grade—Jake Schwalm and Frank Harris.

Fifth B Grade—Bessie Seay.

Fourth B Grade—Earl Eaton, Archie Leach, George Richardson, Lucy Taylor and Edna Whitehead.

Third B Grade—Percy Priddy, Emma Gordin, Pearl Harding and Alice Crutchfield.

Third A Grade—Creston Farrow, Virginia Whitehurst, Page Beck, Lola Watkins, Beaufort Ragland, James Collins, Frank Carpenter and Renta Flanagan.

Second B Grade—Virginia Cridlin, Frank Leach and Robert Chappell.

Second A Grade—Irving Gordon, Starr Hall, Ida Luck, Maggie Rose, Willie Tiller and Carter White.

WESTHAMPTON

Dr. Lorrimer James has returned to his home in Gloucester county after a brief visit to friends in this locality.

J. B. Badenoch has lost both of his cows which were bitten by a mad dog some weeks ago. The dog was killed immediately after his attack on the cows. Every precaution was taken with the cows after they were bitten, but no signs of hydrophobia were evident until after twenty-one days had passed. The dog was then more or less injured was taken care of and died only a few days, being apparently entirely paralyzed from the start. In a couple of days the other cow, which was badly lacerated by the infuriated animal, showed signs of madness and immediately vicious, and had to be killed. But cows were very valuable animals.

On Tuesday, April 16th, Mrs. Alice Kinney, of Rio Vista, will leave for Europe, where she will spend two months.

Mrs. Webb, of Westhampton, spent some time recently in Petersburg, Va.

After spending some time in the home of Mrs. Charles Goodman, of Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. James Urban and their little son, Blanton, have returned to their home in the city.

Mrs. Henry Ford, of West Gary Street, Richmond, has returned to her home after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Portwick, of Broad Street, Richmond.

Mrs. Eubank, of Westhampton Park, recently visited relatives in Richmond.

Mrs. Thomas Shapperson, of Ridge, spent last Saturday in Richmond.

SEVEN PERSONS KILLED BY TORNADO AT LUVERNE

LUVERNE, ALA., April 6.—Seven persons, five white and two colored, it is learned, were killed by the tornado that passed through this county yesterday. The storm struck nearest to Luverne at 1:30 p.m., six miles from here. There several houses were blown down, and Samuel Brown and two children were injured. James Knowles and son were killed at Petrey. Others were injured. Mr. Farrier and two children met death at Emerald. As did the two negroes, Mrs. Farrier was fatally hurt. Several others were injured.

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Matings

Only because we placed orders more than a year ago, and have gotten this large stock of Matings direct from China and Japan, are we able to quote the prices we do to-day. For your benefit we want to say, Hurry on Matings, for you'll certainly pay more by 5c to 15c a yard later. We can supply your Matings now for less than any house in Richmond, or less than we can do when these are sold.

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Black Japanese Silks, spotproof, strong, lustrous blacks, at 50c to \$1.00 yard.

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ENTIRELY BLIND AND NEARLY CENTURY OLD, STILL ACTIVE

An enjoyable entertainment was held Thursday night in the "Sunshine Room" of the City Home, for the benefit of the aged and infirm people who are quartered there. The features of the evening were instrumental music, songs and recitations. Among those from the city who took part were Mrs. Willis Morgan, Miss Maggie Bryant, Miss Ella Bryant and Miss May Haupt. The recitations of

Miss Maggie Bryant were particularly enjoyed by the old people, who repeatedly asked for an encore. A tender solo by Mr. Roy Ford was also especially appreciated.

The climax of the evening came when Mrs. Hale, an inmate of the home, who is now entirely blind and ninety-four years of age, gave three excellent recitations, delivered in a manner that was really remarkable.

FAIR WILL BEGIN AT IDLEWOOD SOON



"THE RED ROBINS," WITH HATCH SHOWS AT IDLEWOOD.

The management of Idlewood Park have engaged the services of J. Frank Hatch and his attractions to furnish material for an old-time fair and carnival. Among the attractions that will be presented will be in a large tented arena, the front of which is a substantially built carved oak wagon illuminated with hundreds of electric lights and handsomely gilded, looking like the entrance to an enormous palace. The show inside is given by a number of feature circus performers. In the show presented by "The Peerless Mamie" a number of fancy dances will be seen, such as electric, radium and freedances. The "Red Robins" has been presented by a number of vaudeville artists, who have appeared in theatres throughout the country. Colored minstrels will also be one of the features. In the Japanese theatre a number of Tokio's cleverest acrobats will entertain visitors with sensational tumbling, juggling and equilibristism. The big snake is declared to be one of the rarest importations ever seen in this country. This snake is fifteen feet long. The free attractions will be given at intervals of one hour, both day and night, during the period of the carnival. The big fair will be in progress at Idlewood Park for ten days, commencing on Wednesday, April 24th.

NAVAL CADETS BEAT GEORGETOWN IN BOAT-RACE

ANNAPOLIS, MD., April 6.—The Naval Academy eight to-day defeated the representatives of Georgetown University in the annual boat-race between

the crews of the two institutions, the Midshipmen being six lengths ahead at the finish. The time of the winning eight was eleven minutes fifty-one seconds; two minutes twenty-one seconds slower than the record for the course made last year. A cold wind blowing directly against the crews raised a choppy sea. The Georgetown crew showed the effects of their effort, while the Midshipmen finished strong and apparently quite fresh.

GLENDALD DOTS

Mrs. Ida Hughes and son, Byron, are guests of Mr. William Sharpe and family. Mrs. John Whitlock recently entertained her sister, Mrs. Robert Warriner, of Richmond.

The box social and entertainment, given by the Ladies' Aid Society, of the Church during the week, was a decided success, both socially and financially. A large crowd attended it.

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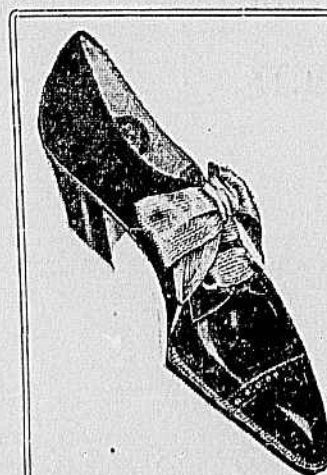
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